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### 1945-11-23, Herman to Irene

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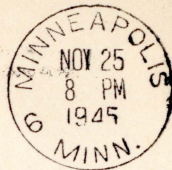
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Mrs. William A. Vasos  
208 N. Walnut St.  
Carroll, Iowa.



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23 November 1945

Mrs. William A. Vasos.  
208 N. Walnut St.  
Carroll, Iowa.

Dear Mrs. Vasos:

A few days ago I had a talk with your husband who has recently been discharged from the Navy. You have looked forward to his return, and I know that your reunion is a happy one, compensating you both for the months of separation which you have endured.

The sacrifices which you have made, and which millions of others have made, were necessary and unavoidable. There is one very important adjustment, however, which only you can help him make. He must now re-establish himself as a vital part of his family, his Church, and his community. This will require sincere and honest understanding of his attitude and outlook during the time of separation. It is only natural that he may be somewhat restless and seemingly different in a few ways, because it will be difficult for either of you to share the experiences that you have had while apart.

He has been advised as to his rights and benefits as a veteran, and civilian agencies back home stand ready to help him find a worthy and successful place in life. Encourage him to contact these agencies when he begins to re-establish himself in your community.

My earnest prayer and hope is that his return to civilian life will be happy and that he will be successful in all his undertakings.

Very sincerely yours,

By direction of the  
Commanding Officer

HERMAN E. SODERBERG,  
Chaplain, USNR.